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☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

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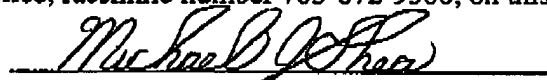
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In response to the office action dated September 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4.

Remarks begin on page 12.

An **Appendix** follows page 15 and includes a copy of a postcard stamped to evidence receipt of the two (2) priority documents for the subject patent application.